

November 2008

Potato Creek State Park

25601 STATE ROAD 4 NORTH LIBERTY, IN 46554

(574) 656-8186 NATURALIST: Tim Cordell

PLEASE NOTE: Programs are free of charge (except as noted) and open to the public after paying the park admission fee.

All programs begin promptly at scheduled times. (Eastern Time Zone)

PARENTS: an adult must accompany Children under 14.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2008



2:00 p.m.

OH DEER! – We'll take a fascinating look at white-tailed deer, and the controversies surrounding them. 45 minutes.

MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2008

2:00 p.m.

AMERICA'S LOST LANDSCAPE: TALLGRASS PRAIRIE - This extraordinary video takes an in depth look at the prairie ecosystem and its history. 1 hour.

MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2008

2:00 p.m.

REPTILE REVIEW! - Learn a little about the reptiles of the area and then meet one up close. 30 minutes.

MEET: NATURE CENTER



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9 2008

2:00 p.m.

WEBS OF INTRIGUE. – Come watch this great video about spiders to learn a little about their fascinating lives. 1 hour.

MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2008

7:00 p.m.

DEER HUNTING WORKSHOP - Pick up tips & tricks, learn about equipment, laws, and safety for deer hunting in the third of the sportsmen's series. Pre registration is requested, but not required. Call the park at (574) 656-8186

MEET: NATURE CENTER



November Nature Center Hours (Eastern Time)

Saturday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 p.m. Sunday: Noon - 5:00 p.m.

Weekdays: Noon-4:00p.m.

CLOSED: Tues & Wed's & November 3, 6, 10, 27, 28



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2008

10:00 a.m. **OWLS - HUNTERS OF THE NIGHT** - Learn about these magnificent birds and a few things that make them special. 1 hour **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

2:00 p.m. **ATTRACTING BIRDS TO YOUR YARD** - We'll discuss various things you can do to entice birds to your yard. 45 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2008



2:00 p.m. **EDIBLE WILD PLANTS** - This colorful video introduces you to a few of the many wild edible plants and their uses. 1 hour **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2008



7:00 p.m. **GREAT NATURE BOOKS** - Deb Palguta from the St Joe County Public Library will highlight some great nature books available as this month's guest speaker. Books make great gifts, come get some ideas! **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2008

10:00 a.m. **REMAINS TO BE SEEN** - Skins, skulls, feathers and bones... we've pulled out a few things for you to investigate. 30 min's **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

2:00 p.m. **BIRD ID BASICS** - Pick up some tips on identifying birds in an indoor program and then practice at our bird window. 45 min's **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2008

2:00 p.m. **FARMLAND TO PARKLAND** - Learn a little about the history and development of the park in this slide show. 1 hour. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2008

9:30 a.m. **WATERFOWL AND WINTER SONGBIRD WATCH** - Join members of the South Bend Audubon Society on their field trip to walk off some of that Turkey Bird and other stuffing's while enjoying the birds. **MEET: PORTER REA CEMETERY P. LOT**

10:00 a.m. **SPIDERS!!** - Could you make a web? Find out how it's done as we take a look at these fascinating creatures. 30 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

12-2 p.m. **HUNTER OPEN HOUSE** - Hunters selected for the Canada goose reduction hunts will have the opportunity to review maps and ask questions about the upcoming goose hunts. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30 2008

2:00 p.m. **HAWKS UP CLOSE** - Learn about these winged hunters in this fascinating video. 1 hour. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



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